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Hon Jean Stone, Hearing Officer Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37238

Re:

Enforcement of Interconnection Agreement between BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and ITC^DeltaCom Communications, Inc.

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Enforcement of Interconnection Agreement between BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. and XO Tennessee, Inc.

Docket number: 02-01203

Dear Hearing Officer Stone:

The parties have agreed to extend the procedural schedule by an additional two weeks. Coupled with the prior extension, which was granted June 8, 2005, this means that BellSouth's audit proposal and brief will be due July 6, 2005, and the response from XO Tennessee, Inc. and ITC^DeltaCom Communications, Inc. will be due on July 15, 2005.

The purpose of the extension is to allow the parties to continue negotiations, not only on the EELs audit issues but also on issues raised in Docket 03-00630, the XO arbitration proceeding. These negotiations between XO and BellSouth encompass both dockets and, we are told, are proceeding satisfactorily.

We apologize for not informing you sooner of this proposed extension. The letter you received on June 10, 2005, regarding Docket 03-00630 (the XO-BellSouth arbitration docket) should have addressed the EELs docket as well.

I have shared a draft of this letter with Guy Hicks, counsel for BellSouth, prior to this filing He concurs in this request, explanation, and apology.

Do not hesitate to call Guy or me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Guy Hicks